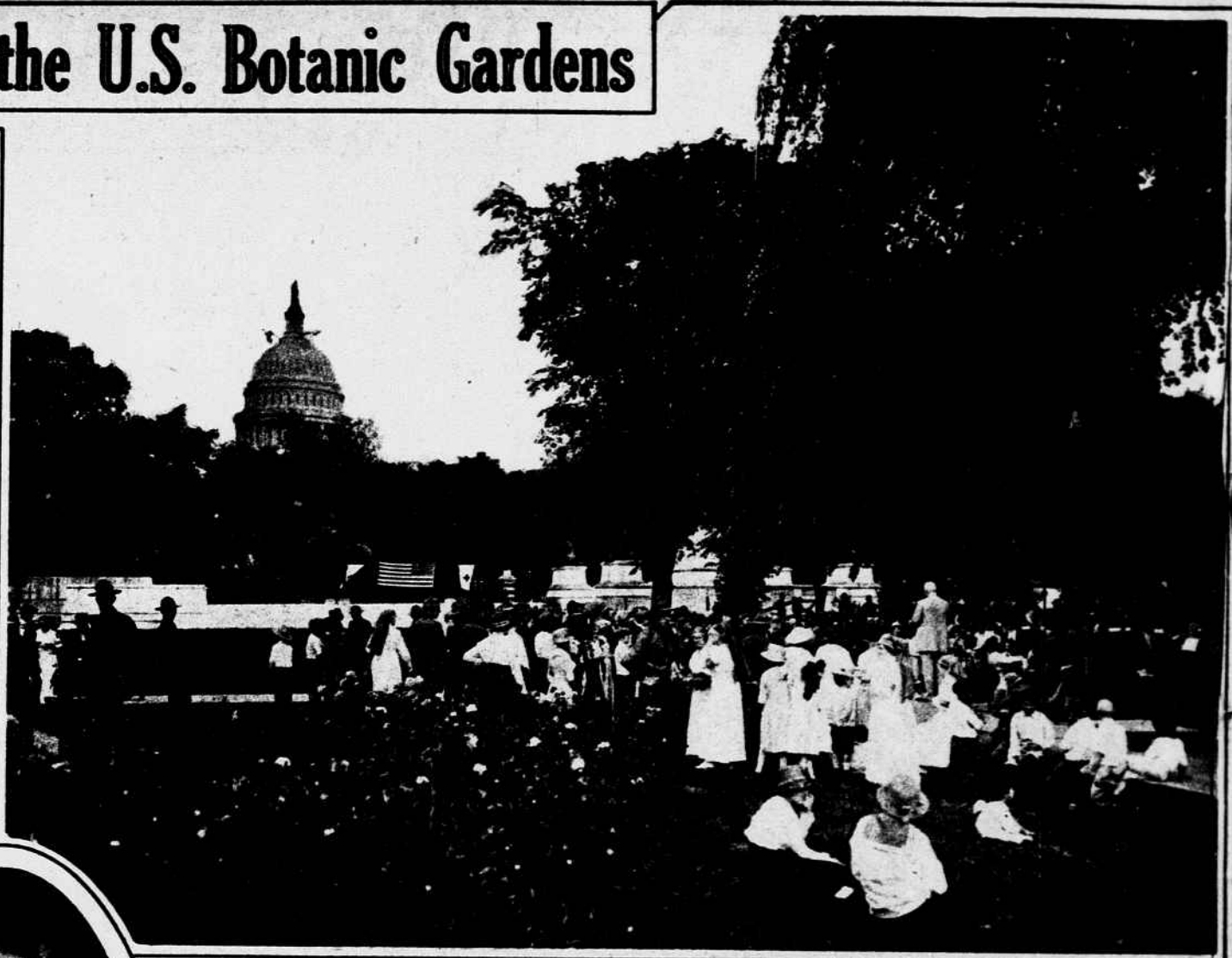


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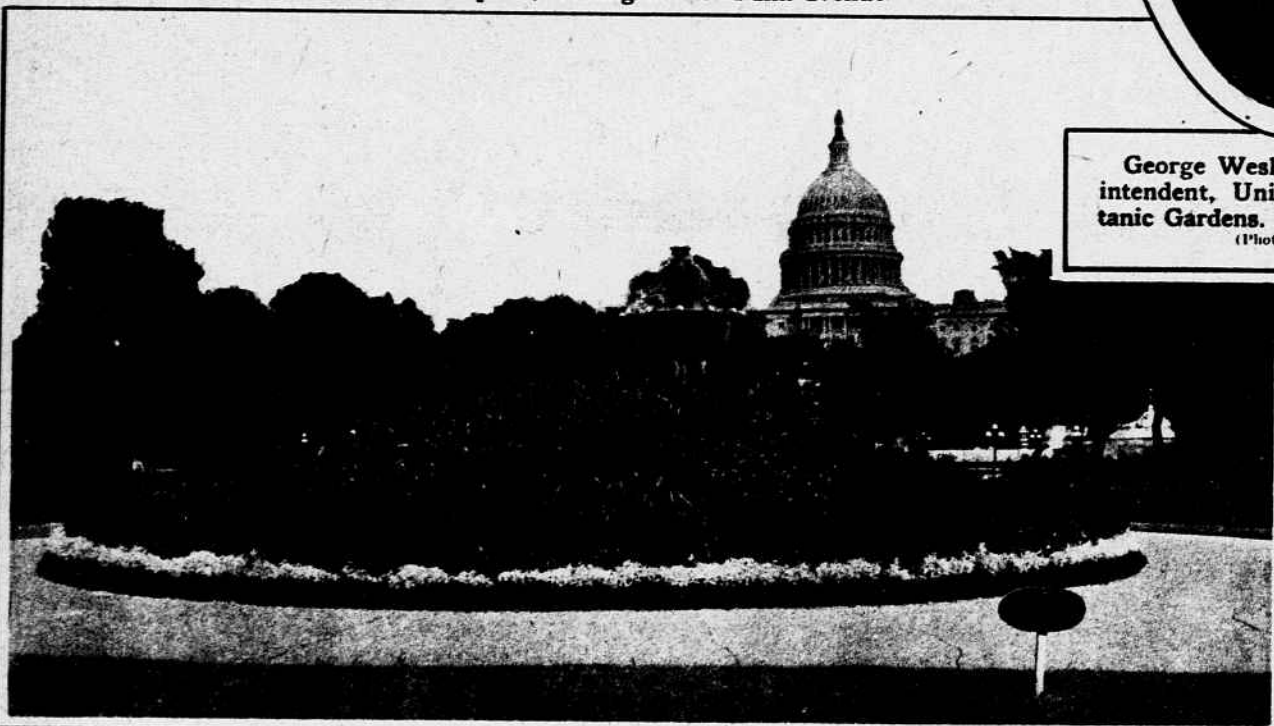
A vista of the Capitol; looking down "Palm avenue."



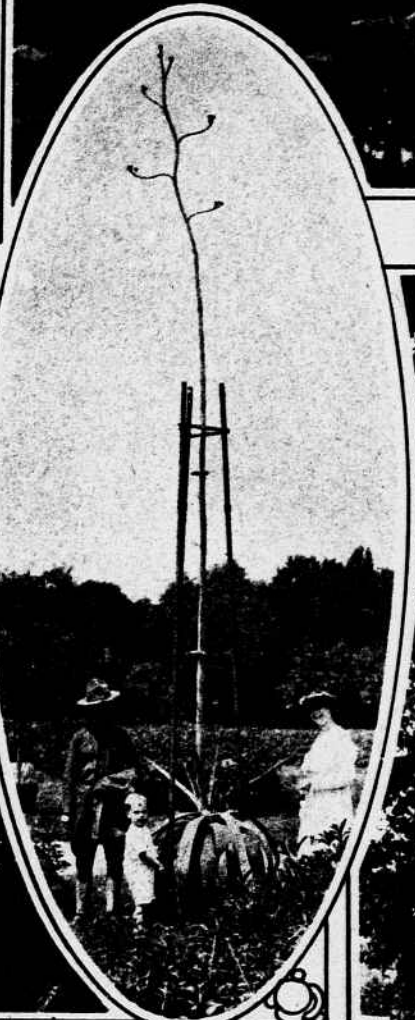
Speaker Champ Clark (on platform) and members of the House and Senate, with officers of the American Rose Society, at a Red Cross rally and band concert in the Botanic Gardens.



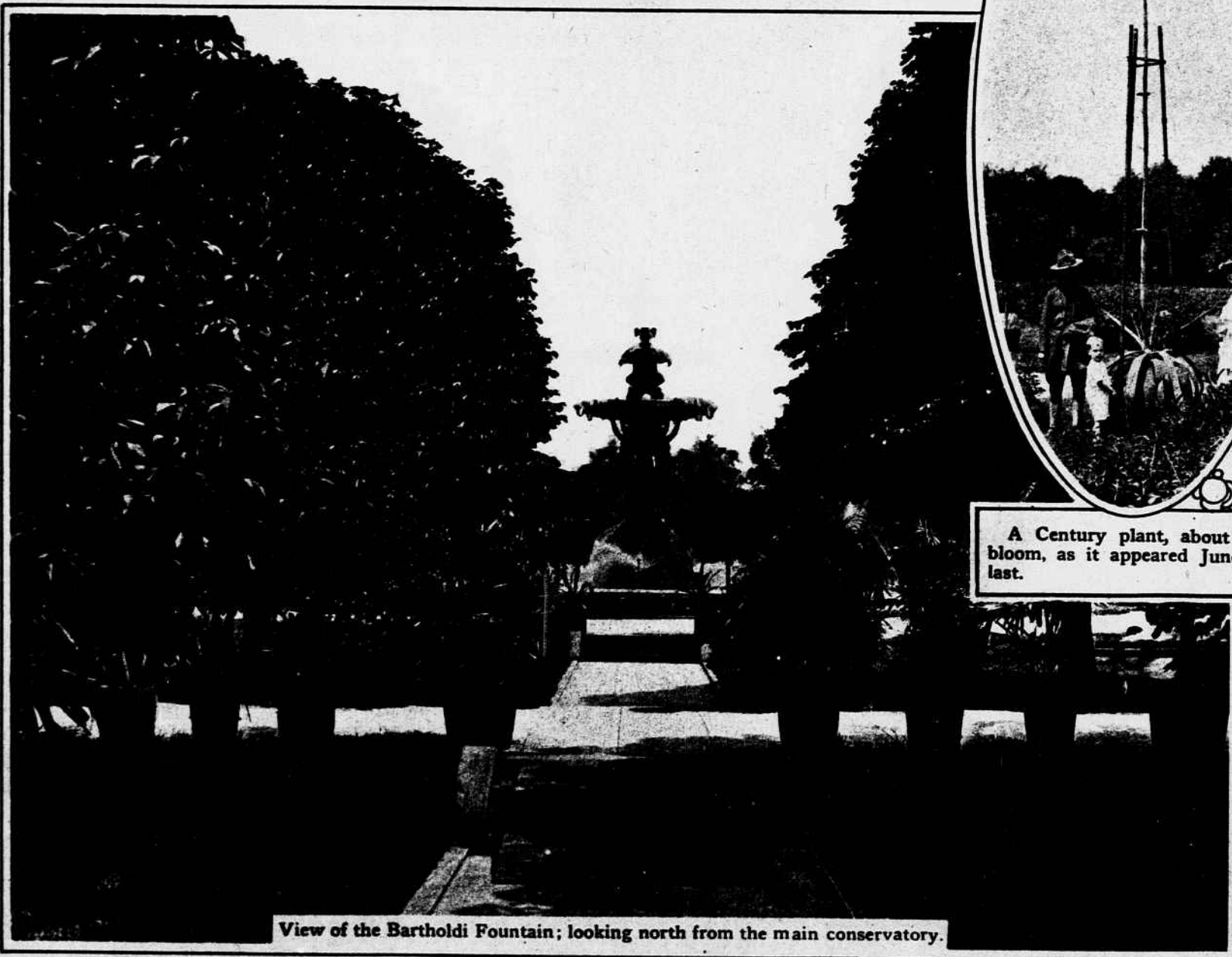
George Wesley Hess, superintendent, United States Botanic Gardens.
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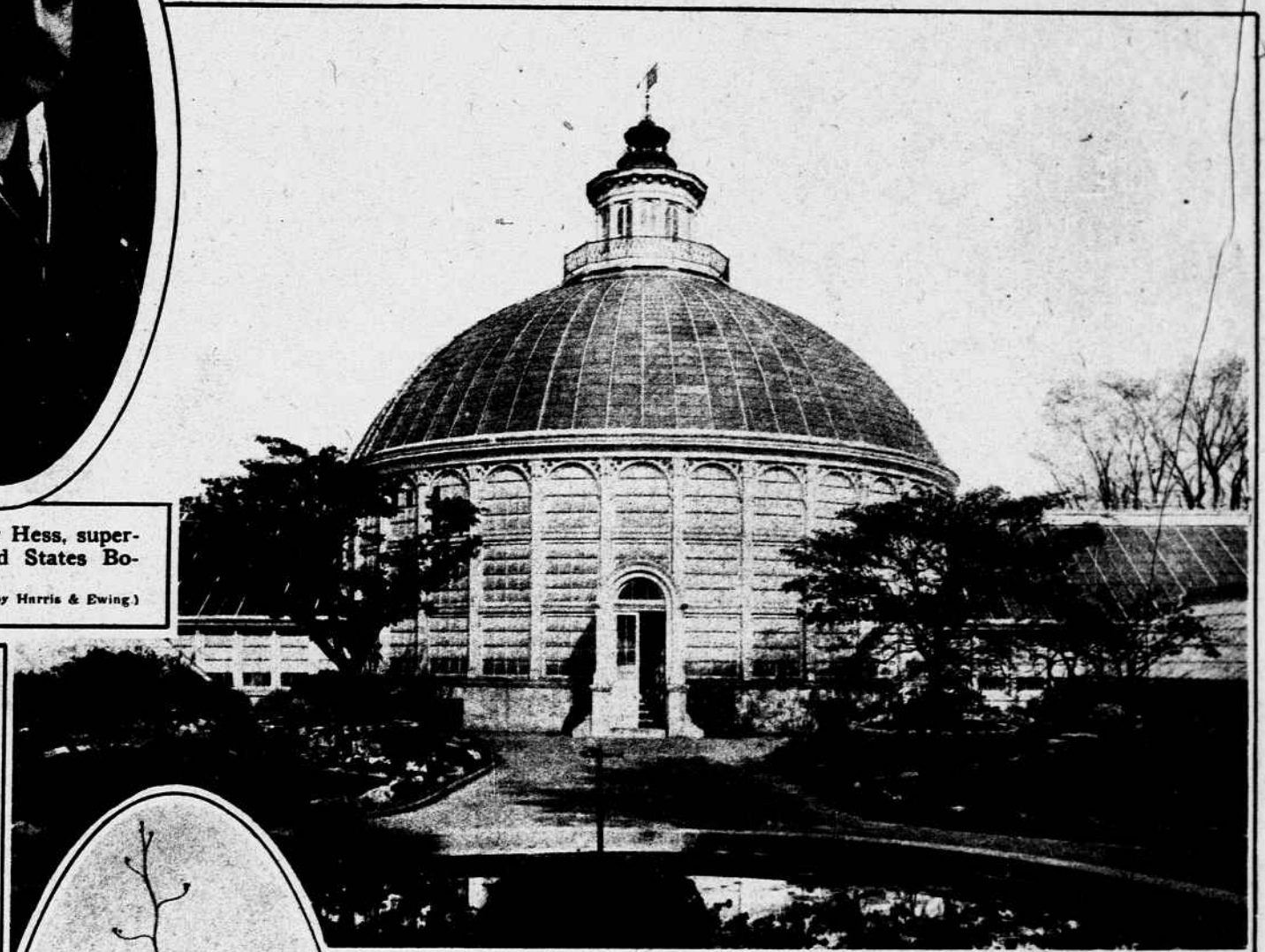
An exotic bed of flowers; looking across the grounds eastward to the Capitol.



A Century plant, about to bloom, as it appeared June 5 last.



View of the Bartholdi Fountain; looking north from the main conservatory.



The main conservatory (looking south), showing a portion of the Rock Garden.



View of the lily pond; looking south from the main conservatory. The Bald Cypress (in center) was planted by Edwin Booth, brother of John Wilkes Booth, who shot President Lincoln.